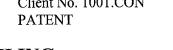


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REQUEST FOR FILING CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION



Box Patent Application Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a X continuation divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)(1), of pending prior application serial no. 09/450,083 filed on November 29, 1999, of Peter COLOSI for HIGH-EFFICIENCY WILD-TYPE-FREE AAV HELPER FUNCTIONS.

- Enclosed is an application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)(1). No new matter has been added. 1. <u>X</u>
- 2. X Applicant(s) claim(s) small entity status.
- 3. <u>X</u> The filing fee is calculated below:

| A. | Basic Application Fee | | | \$740 | |
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| B. | Total Claims $25 - 20 = 5$ | X | \$18 | \$90 | |
| C. | Independent Claims $2 - 3 = 0$ | x | \$84 | 0 | |
| D. | If multiple claims present, add | | \$280 | 0 | |
| E. | Total Application Fee (Total of A, B, C & D) | | = | \$830 | |
| F. | If small entity status is claimed, reduce Total Application | | | | |
| | Fee by 50% | | | \$415 | |
| G. | Total Fee Due (E - F) | | = | \$415 | |

- 4. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.
- 5. X A check to cover the \$415 application fee is attached.
- 6. __ Cancel in this application original claims * of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
- 7. X The inventor(s) of the invention being claimed in this application is (are): Peter Colosi.
- 8. __ This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)(1), the Commissioner is requested to delete the name(s) of the following person or persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed in this application: *.
- 9. X Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

 This application is a X continuation __divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/450,083, filed November 29, 1999, from which application(s) priority is claimed pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 and which application(s) are incorporated herein by reference in its(their) entirety(entireties).
- 10. X The prior application is assigned of record to Avigen, Inc.
- 11. ___ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- 12. X Also enclosed: Blanket Petition for Extension of Time and Authorization to Charge or Credit Deposit Account and a Request to Use Computer Readable Form of the Sequence Listing.
- 13. X The power of attorney in the prior application is to Roberta L. Robins, Reg. No. 33,208.
 - a. ___ The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
 - b. X Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
 - c. X Recognize the following individual(s) as Associate Attorneys: Narinder S. Banait, Reg. No. 43,482 of Robins & Pasternak LLP.
 - d. X Address all future communications to Roberta L. Robins at:
 - X ROBINS & PASTERNAK LLP 545 Middlefield Road, Ste. 180 Menlo Park, CA 94025 phone: (650) 325-7812 fax: (650) 325-7823.

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In Re Application of:

Peter COLOSI

Serial No.: (Prior: 09/450,083) Group Art Unit: (Prior: 1636)

Filing Date: (Prior: 11/29/1999) Examiner: (Prior: K. Katcheres)

Title: HIGH-EFFICIENCY WILD-TYPE-FREE AAV HELPER FUNCTIONS

REQUEST TO USE COMPUTER READABLE FORM FROM ANOTHER APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The computer readable form in this application, is identical with that filed in application number 09/450,083, filed November 29, 1999. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy

of the Sequence Listing is attached to the application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2/1/02

By: Reharts L. Robins

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| Applicant: | Peter Colosi |) |
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| Serial No.: | (Continuation of 09/143,270, filed August 28, 1998) | 1)) |
| Filed: | November 29, 1999 |) |
| For: | HIGH-EFFICIENCY WILD-TYPE-FREE AAV HELPER |) |

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821

Box Patent Application Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This application (hereinafter "the continuation application") is a continuation of co-pending United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/143,270 of Peter Colosi, filed August 28, 1998 (hereinafter "the parent application"). A Sequence Listing, including a computer readable form, was submitted with the parent application. The paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted in connection with the continuation application is identical to the paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted in connection with the case of the parent application.

The paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted in the above-referenced continuation application is identical to the computer readable form submitted with the parent application. The paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted in the above-referenced continuation case adds no new matter. The Applicant requests that the computer readable form submitted in the case of the parent application be used in the case of the continuation application.

Respectfully submitted,

Barton W. Giddings, Ph.D.

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Title:

HIGH-EFFICIENCY WILD-TYPE-FREE AAV HELPER FUNCTIONS

BLANKET PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE OR CREDIT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

If a paper is untimely filed in this application or any file wrapper continuation application derived therefrom by applicant(s) or her/his/their representative, the Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the minimum extension of time required to make said paper timely. In the event a petition for extension of time is made under the provisions of this paragraph, the Commissioner is hereby requested to charge any fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d) to Deposit Account No. 18-1648. This, however, is not authorization to pay the issue fee.

If a paper is concurrently or subsequently filed in this application or any file wrapper continuation application derived therefrom by applicant(s) or her/his/their representative and a fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17 is required to effect any amendment, petition or other action requested in said paper, the Commissioner is hereby requested to charge any deficiency in said fee, or credit any overpayment of said fee, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648. This, however, is not authorization to pay the issue fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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